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Re: OIP/14-02131 (F)
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Dear Dr. Greenberg:

This is our final response to your Freedom of Information Act (FOIA)/Privacy Act request dated March 7, 2014, and received in this Office on March 13, 2014, for records pertaining to yourself. This response is made on behalf of the Office of Information Policy (OIP).

By letter dated May 15, 2014, we provided our response on behalf of the Office of Legal Policy (OLP), and informed you that we would respond again once our review and disclosure determinations were made on the OIP material. Please be advised that our review is complete, and we located 188 pages that contain records that are responsive to your request. The records we located were contained in FOIA request and appeal files that you previously submitted relating to a variety of topics. Because this material relates to the processing of your requests and appeals on various topics, and not Privacy Act records pertaining to you, we have processed these records pursuant to the FOIA rather than the Privacy Act. I have determined that 125 pages are appropriate for release with excisions made pursuant to Exemptions 5, 6, and 7(C) of the FOIA, 5 U.S.C. § 552(b)(5), (b)(6), and (7)(C). Exemption 5 pertains to certain inter- and intra-agency communications protected by the deliberative process privilege. Exemption 6 pertains to information the release of which would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of the personal privacy of third parties. Exemption 7(C) pertains to records or information compiled for law enforcement purposes, the release of which could reasonably be expected to constitute an unwarranted invasion of the personal privacy of third parties. For your information, the withheld material consists of the names of FBI employees, internal decisions, and deliberative case notes. Copies of the responsive records are enclosed.

Furthermore, I have determined that twenty-four pages should be withheld in full pursuant to Exemptions 5, 6, and 7(C) of the FOIA, 5 U.S.C. § 552(b)(5), (b)(6), and (7)(C). Exemption 5 pertains to certain inter- and intra-agency communications protected by the deliberative process and attorney work-product privileges. Exemption 6 pertains to information the release of which would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of the personal privacy of third parties. Exemption 7(C) pertains to records or information compiled for law enforcement purposes, the release of which could reasonably be expected to constitute an unwarranted invasion of the personal privacy of third parties. For your information, the withheld material

consists of internal discussions, various draft documents, and memoranda related to appeals and/or litigation.

Lastly, because thirty-nine pages originated with or are of primary interest to the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI), we referred that material to the FBI for processing and direct response to you. Contact information for the FBI can be found at www.foia.gov.

For your information, Congress excluded three discrete categories of law enforcement and national security records from the requirements of the FOIA. *See* 5 U.S.C. § 552(c) (2015) (amended 2016). This response is limited to those records that are subject to the requirements of the FOIA. This is a standard notification that is given to all our requesters and should not be taken as an indication that excluded records do, or do not, exist.

You may contact our FOIA Public Liaison, Laurie Day, for any further assistance and to discuss any aspect of your request at: Office of Information Policy, United States Department of Justice, Suite 11050, 1425 New York Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20530-0001; telephone at 202-514-3642; or facsimile at 202-514-1009.

Additionally, you may contact the Office of Government Information Services (OGIS) at the National Archives and Records Administration to inquire about the FOIA mediation services they offer. The contact information for OGIS is as follows: Office of Government Information Services, National Archives and Records Administration, Room 2510, 8601 Adelphi Road, College Park, Maryland 20740-6001; e-mail at ogis@nara.gov; telephone at 202-741-5770; toll free at 1-877-684-6448; or facsimile at 202-741-5769.

If you are not satisfied with my response to this request, you may administratively appeal by writing to the Director, Office of Information Policy, United States Department of Justice, Suite 11050, 1425 New York Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20530-0001, or you may submit an appeal through OIP's FOIAonline portal at <https://foiaonline.regulations.gov/foia/action/public/home>. Your appeal must be postmarked or electronically submitted within ninety days of the date of my response to your request. If you submit your appeal by mail, both the letter and the envelope should be clearly marked "Freedom of Information Act Appeal."

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Carmen L. Mallon', with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Carmen L. Mallon
Chief of Staff